WEDNESDAY, APRIL 1, 2015

SEVENTEENTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

The House met at 9:00 a.m. and was called to order by Madam Speaker Harwell.

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Pastor Steve Morgan, Destiny Church, Columbia, TN.

Representative Butt led the House in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

The roll call was taken with the following results:

ROLL CALL

Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell

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EXCUSED

The Speaker announced that the following member has been excused, pursuant to request under **Rule No. 20**:

Representative Cooper; illness

PRESENT IN CHAMBER

Rep. DeBerry was recorded as being present in the Chamber.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Joint Resolution No. 57 Reps. C. Sexton, Powell, Wirgau, Smith, Mitchell, Butt, Sparks, Moody, Stewart, Holsclaw, Forgety, K. Brooks, Lynn, Sargent, Ragan, Camper, H. Brooks, McManus, Halford, Gravitt, Miller, Parkinson, M. White, Weaver, Kane and Daniel as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 90 Reps. M. White, Parkinson and Harrison as prime sponsors.

House Joint Resolution No. 233 Reps. Hardaway and Gilmore as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 18 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 32 Reps. H. Brooks, M. White as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 52 Reps. Favors, Kane, Hardaway, Akbari, Camper, Miller and Turner as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 70 Reps. Kane, Reedy, Holt, Byrd, Littleton, Williams, Coley, Moody, Miller, Daniel, Ragan, Sparks, H. Brooks, Halford, Eldridge, Howell, Terry, J. Sexton, Gravitt, Weaver, Todd, McManus, Smith, Marsh, Butt, Durham, Hazlewood, Sargent, Haynes, Parkinson, Forgety, M. White and Lynn as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 84 Reps. Ragan, Hardaway, Love and Daniel as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 90 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 106 Reps. Favors, Ragan and Kane as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 143 Rep. Jernigan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 225 Rep. Lundberg as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 273 Reps. Calfee, Shepard, Shaw, Halford, Butt, Byrd, T. Hill, Wilburn, M. Hill, Dunlap and Van Huss as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 308 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 443 Rep. Goins as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 532 Rep. Moody as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 547 Rep. Ragan as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 787 Rep. Goins as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 865 Reps. Hardaway and Armstrong as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 891 Reps. Hardaway and Pitts as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 923 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1007 Rep. Sanderson as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1294 Reps. Jernigan and Holt as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1368 Reps. Haynes, Butt, Kane, C. Sexton, Dunn, Pody, Williams, Kumar, Doss and Wilburn as prime sponsors.

SPONSORS REMOVED

On motion, Rep. K. Brooks was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 904.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 182 and 183; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Joint Resolution No. 182 -- Memorials, Death - Senator Bobby Carter. by *Jackson, *Bailey, *Beavers, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Dickerson, *Gardenhire, *Green, *Gresham, *Haile, *Harper, *Harris, *Hensley, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Ketron, *Kyle, *Massey, *McNally, *Niceley, *Norris, *Overbey, *Roberts, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Tate, *Tracy, *Watson, *Yager, *Yarbro, *Ramsey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 183 -- Memorials, Death - Doris K. Bonanno. by *Dickerson.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 25, 42, 99, 114, 345, 364, 480 and 772; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 11, 147, 174, 198, 210, 423, 485, 570, 649, 655, 674, 703, 718, 729, 786, 789, 836, 929, 978, 988, 999, 1024, 1026, 1056, 1157, 1180, 1185, 1237, 1273, 1289, 1317, 1345 and 1361; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

- *Senate Bill No. 11 -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, authorizes all-terrain vehicles on a portion of a state highway in the Town of Huntsville in Scott County. Amends TCA Section 55-3-101 and Title 55, Chapter 8, Part 1. by *Yager, *McNally. (HB148 by *Keisling, *Calfee)
- *Senate Bill No. 147 -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, classifies the financial exploitation by a caretaker of an adult as a Class D felony; requires the district attorney to freeze the assets of anyone charged with taking property valued at \$5,000 or more until the criminal proceedings are complete. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 40 and Title 71, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Harper, *Tate. (HB736 by *Love)
- *Senate Bill No. 174 -- Workers Compensation As introduced, includes as information open for public inspection the workers' compensation policy cancellation date and the policy reinstatement date. Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6, Part 4. by *Ketron. (HB178 by *Lynn)
- **Senate Bill No. 198** -- Elder Abuse As introduced, extends the elder abuse task force from January 15, 2015, to January 15, 2016. Amends TCA Title 71 and Chapter 961 of the Public Acts of 2014. by *Crowe. (*HB123 by *Carr , *Rogers)
- *Senate Bill No. 210 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) As introduced, continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state after January 1, 2014; schedules board of optometry rule to expire on the effective date of the Act. Amends Title 4, Chapter 5. by *Bell. (HB344 by *Faison, *Ragan)
- **Senate Bill No. 423** -- Comptroller, State As introduced, makes confidential all examinations administered by the division of property assessments, including, but not limited to, the bank of questions used to develop the tests, the answers, and the answer sheets of individual test takers. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 19; Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 67, Chapter 1, Part 5. by *Briggs. (*HB262 by *Gravitt)
- **Senate Bill No. 485** -- Boards and Commissions As introduced, transfers administrative responsibilities for the Tennessee board of court reporting to the division of regulatory boards in the department of commerce and insurance. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 13 and Title 20, Chapter 9, Part 6. by *Bell. (*HB471 by *Haynes, *Sanderson)

- **Senate Bill No. 570** -- TennCare As introduced, reduces from 30 days to 15 days the period of time for an applicant for TennCare to mail documentation of a material change affecting the application. Amends TCA Title 68 and Title 71. by *Dickerson. (*HB403 by *Ramsey)
- **Senate Bill No. 649** -- Courts As introduced, creates a task force on implementing efiling in Tennessee's court system; creates a task force on revising the process of appointment of counsel for indigent defendants. Amends TCA Title 16. by *Kelsey. (*HB141 by *Lundberg)
- *Senate Bill No. 655 -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, requires a driver who approaches a stationary solid waste vehicle to treat the vehicle in the same manner as approaching a stationary recovery or highway maintenance vehicle. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Kyle. (HB818 by *Cooper, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Fitzhugh, *Shepard, *Camper)
- *Senate Bill No. 674 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance As introduced, allows candidate and political campaign committee to accept digital currency as a contribution; requires increase in value of digital currency to be reported as interest on statements filed with the registry of election finance; requires candidate to sell digital currency and deposit proceeds before spending the funds. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10. by *Dickerson. (HB701 by *Faison)
- *Senate Bill No. 703 -- Utilities, Utility Districts As introduced, adds commissioner to certain multi-county utility district boards. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82. by *Bailey. (HB788 by *Sexton C)
- *Senate Bill No. 718 -- Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities As introduced, permits dependents of military service members to retain priority for receiving home and community-based services under a federal waiver in certain circumstances. Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 5 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Green. (HB798 by *Pitts)
- **Senate Bill No. 729** -- Driver Licenses As introduced, under certain circumstances, waives driver license tests for an applicant with a valid driver license from a foreign country, if the department of safety enters into a reciprocal memorandum of understanding with a foreign country and the applicant verifies residency. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Southerland. (*HB396 by *Goins)
- *Senate Bill No. 786 -- Welfare As introduced, prohibits recipients of public assistance benefits from using an EBT card at a tobacco retailer to purchase certain tobacco products; prohibits tobacco retailers from permitting the purchase of tobacco products or nicotine products with an EBT card; requires the department of human services to notify public assistance recipients of this prohibition. Amends TCA Section 71-3-126. by *Beavers, *Roberts. (HB1339 by *Weaver, *Powers, *Lollar, *Wirgau, *White M, *Brooks K, *Lamberth, *Lundberg, *Howell, *McManus, *Terry, *Gravitt, *Hill M, *Durham, *Keisling, *Littleton, *Butt, *Kumar, *Rogers)
- **Senate Bill No. 789** -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, authorizes a motor vehicle dealer licensed to sell used motor vehicles to operate multiple businesses at the dealer's established place of business, if at least 66 percent of the dealer's established place of business is used for vehicle-related business purposes; authorizes the dealer to install signs at the dealer's

established place of business to advertise the other businesses. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 67. by *Beavers. (*HB730 by *Pody)

Senate Bill No. 836 -- Public Buildings - As introduced, requires that edges of steps into certain public buildings constructed, purchased, or leased by the state or its political subdivisions after July 1, 2015, be marked with yellow paint to assist persons with vision impairment. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Yager. (*HB477 by *Beck, *Jernigan)

*Senate Bill No. 929 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes Grundy County, by resolution adopted by a two-thirds vote, to levy an occupancy tax of not more than five percent on the privilege of staying in any hotel or motel in Grundy County; the ordinance must set forth the manner of collection and administration of the privilege tax. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Bowling, *Bailey. (HB1092 by *Dunlap)

Senate Bill No. 978 -- Public Contracts - As introduced, increases, from \$25,000 to \$100,000, the threshold for public works projects that require a registered architect, registered engineer, or registered landscape architect. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 12 and Section 62-2-107. by *Norris. (*HB823 by *Lollar)

Senate Bill No. 988 -- Public Health - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare, the department of health, the department of human resources, and the department of finance and administration to jointly develop certain plans and reports concerning diabetes to be made to the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house every two years. - Amends TCA Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Norris, *Harper, *Tate. (*HB693 by *Akbari, *Camper, *Love, *Fitzhugh, *Cooper, *Favors, *Jones, *Shepard, *Beck, *Hardaway, *Shaw, *Towns, *Stewart, *Powell, *Clemmons, *Parkinson, *Turner)

Senate Bill No. 999 -- School Vouchers - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Choice & Opportunity Scholarship Act." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1. by *Gardenhire, *Kelsey, *Beavers, *Johnson, *Norris, *Gresham. (*HB1049 by *Dunn, *Sexton J, *McCormick, *Eldridge, *Carter, *Johnson, *Goins, *Holt, *Spivey, *Butt, *Powers, *Kane, *Haynes, *Lundberg, *Casada, *Williams, *White M, *Brooks K, *Matlock, *Matheny, *Kumar, *Moody, *McManus, *White D, *Ragan)

Senate Bill No. 1024 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense of causing a person under 18 years of age to attend an animal fight; increases the penalty for a second or subsequent conviction for involvement in cockfighting to a Class E felony; increases the penalty for the offense of being a spectator at an animal fight to a Class A misdemeanor. - Amends TCA Section 39-14-203. by *Ketron, *Tate, *Briggs, *Dickerson, *Haile, *Yarbro. (*HB962 by *Lundberg, *Miller, *Jernigan, *Jones, *Kumar, *McManus, *Akbari, *Camper)

Senate Bill No. 1026 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, allows producers of motor vehicles who lease vehicles to eligible employees to sell the vehicle to a franchised dealer after the lease, and allows the franchised dealer to purchase no more than 30 of the vehicles per month, but prohibits the sale of the vehicle for 90 days from the time in which the motor vehicle was purchased by the franchised dealer. - Amends TCA Section 55-17-123. by *Ketron, *Tracy. (*HB1030 by *Alexander)

- **Senate Bill No. 1056** -- Licenses As introduced, authorizes combat veterans, police officers, firefighters, and emergency medical technicians who reside out of state and who are 50 percent service connected disabled to receive a sport hunting and fishing license upon payment of an annual \$10.00 fee. Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 2. by *Green, *Briggs. (*HB1041 by *Wirgau, *Sanderson)
- **Senate Bill No. 1157** -- State Employees As introduced, extends the date by which TACIR must create a model policy for employers to prevent abusive conduct in the workplace from March 1, 2015, to September 1, 2015. Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 1, Part 5. by *Norris. (*HB588 by *Parkinson)
- **Senate Bill No. 1180** -- County Government As introduced, deletes an exemption for Washington County from the general law governing procedures for amending a county budget. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 9, Part 4. by *Crowe. (*HB1060 by *VanHuss)
- **Senate Bill No. 1185** -- Planning, Public As introduced, authorizes the city of Kingsport to participate in the Tennessee local land bank program. Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 30. by *Crowe. (*HB454 by *Hulsey)
- **Senate Bill No. 1237** -- Game and Fish Laws As introduced, increases, from one to three, the number of consecutive years that a person may purchase annual permits to exempt themselves from hunter education requirements. Amends TCA Section 70-2-108. by *Bell. (*HB1079 by *Travis)
- *Senate Bill No. 1273 -- Game and Fish Laws As introduced, requires cages at facilities for holding Class I wildlife be constructed and maintained to provide sufficient space for each animal to have adequate freedom of movement. Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 4, Part 4. by *Yager. (HB1363 by *Calfee)
- **Senate Bill No. 1289** -- General Assembly As introduced, requires annual reports of the office of the repealer to be posted on the repealer's web page. Amends TCA Title 3. by *Hensley. (*HB1118 by *McDaniel)
- **Senate Bill No. 1317** -- Alcohol Offenses, Motor Vehicles As introduced, changes age group to which offense of underage driving while impaired statute applies from 16–21 to 16–18 and gives judge the authority to order the issuance of a restricted license, including interlock device, to 16–18 year olds committing underage driving while impaired. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4. by *McNally. (*HB622 by *Farmer, *Lamberth)
- **Senate Bill No. 1345** -- Education, Higher As introduced, requires all public postsecondary institutions to close on November 11 in observance of Veterans Day. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *McNally, *Gresham, *Bell, *Briggs, *Norris. (*HB243 by *Powers, *Moody, *Kane, *Casada, *Calfee, *Farmer, *Hill T, *Durham, *Littleton, *Lynn, *Keisling, *VanHuss, *Goins, *Sanderson, *Hulsey, *Hawk, *Carter, *Travis, *Butt, *Love, *Byrd, *Ragan, *Windle, *Matheny, *Marsh, *Rogers, *Womick, *Camper, *Parkinson, *Gravitt, *Shepard, *Sparks, *Sexton J)
- **Senate Bill No. 1361** -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities As introduced, clarifies that a nursing home or related facility applying for a license must certify that it has a policy of

informing employees of their present law duty to report not only abuse and neglect, but also exploitation; updates a reference to the Current Dental Terminology (CDT) codes used on ADA claim forms submitted by certain dental services providers. - Amends TCA Title 67; Title 68, Chapter 11 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *McNally, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Ramsey, *Yager. (*HB516 by *Harrison)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 45, 46, 86, 181, 217, 237, 310, 434, 477, 678 and 1312; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Resolution No. 32; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signature of the Speaker.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED March 31, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Resolution No. 32.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENGROSSED BILLS March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: The following bills have been examined, engrossed and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Bills Nos. 83, 297, 384, 399, 968 and 1385; also House Joint Resolutions Nos. 12, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227 and 228.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 108, 113, 119, 163, 253, 354, 408, 429, 537, 554, 918, 1158 and 1233; substituted for Senate Bills on same subjects and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 51, 100, 107, 181, 183, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192 and 193; concurred in by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bills Nos. 108, 113, 119, 163, 253, 354, 408, 429, 537, 554, 918, 1158 and 1233; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bills Nos. 25, 42, 99, 114, 345, 364, 480 and 772; also House Joint Resolutions Nos. 177, 178, 179 and 194; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolutions Nos. 51, 100, 107, 181, 183, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192 and 193; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED March 31, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 51, 100, 107, 181, 183, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192 and 193.

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GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 135; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 51, 100, 107, 181, 183, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192 and 193; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 177, 178, 179 and 194; with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER, Legal Counsel to the Governor

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 33, 34, 41, 43, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229 and 230; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 55, 99, 102, 221, 239, 243, 247, 249, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 319, 401, 413, 440, 475, 540, 814, 877, 898, 930, 1036, 1048, 1074 and 1293; For the signature of the Speaker.

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RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE March 31, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bills Nos. 549, 1379 and 1382; signed by the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED March 31, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 33, 34, 41, 43, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229 and 230.

JOE MCCORD, Chief Clerk

SIGNED March 31, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Bills Nos. 45, 46, 86, 181, 217, 237, 310, 434, 477, 678 and 1312.

JOE MCCORD, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 231, 232, 233, 234 and 235; adopted, for the House's action.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Joint Resolution No. 184 -- Memorials, Recognition - Richard Reeves, Rutherford County Election Commission. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 185 -- Memorials, Recognition - Felicia Hix, Rutherford County Election Commission. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 186 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ransom Jones, Rutherford County Election Commission. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 187 -- Memorials, Recognition - Caroline E. Kraft, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Crowe.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 188 -- Memorials, Recognition - Whitney C. Andes, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Crowe.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 189 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jackie "Lynn" Dillon, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *McNally.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 190 -- Memorials, Recognition - Robert A. Presley, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Bell.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 191 -- Memorials, Recognition - Gabriela M. Ortiz, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Bell.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 192 -- Memorials, Recognition - Damian Hazeltine, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Southerland.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 193 -- Memorials, Recognition - Cheyenne L. Gray, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Southerland.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 194 -- Memorials, Recognition - Nicole G. Burney, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Niceley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 195 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jesse Buttry, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Niceley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 196 -- Memorials, Recognition - Alexondria L. McKinney, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Briggs.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 197 -- Memorials, Recognition - Queen McElrath, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Harper.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 198 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jeremy C. Heilig, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Overbey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 199 -- Memorials, Recognition - Akoye S. Brown, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Tate.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 231 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ketron L. Hatton, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Hensley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 232 -- Memorials, Recognition - Bridget N. Saine, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Jackson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 233 -- Memorials, Recognition - Trevon M. Mays, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Stevens.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 234 -- Memorials, Recognition - Debria G. Tyler, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 235 -- Memorials, Recognition - Vinceia M. Crittenden, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Gardenhire.

PERSONAL ORDERS

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Representative Pody was recognized in the Well to honor Nashville Central Christian Warriors homeschool basketball team, National Champions.

RESOLUTION READ

The Clerk read House Joint Resolution No. 197, adopted March 26, 2015.

House Joint Resolution No. 197 -- Memorials, Sports - Nashville Central Christian Warriors homeschool basketball team, National Champions. by *Pody.

RESOLUTIONS

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the following resolutions were introduced and placed on the Consent Calendar for April 2, 2015:

House Joint Resolution No. 234 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Julia Little, Valedictorian, DeKalb County High School. by *Pody.

House Joint Resolution No. 235 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Tucker Vaught, Valedictorian, Watertown High School. by *Pody.

House Joint Resolution No. 236 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Makalee Ruch, Salutatorian, DeKalb County High School. by *Pody.

House Joint Resolution No. 237 -- Memorials, Recognition - Honor the liberators and Holocaust survivors of Tennessee. by *White M.

House Joint Resolution No. 238 -- Memorials, Recognition - Nyla Gwan, Miss Black Clarksville 2015. by *Pitts, *Johnson, *Reedy.

House Joint Resolution No. 239 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jobs for Tennessee Graduates. by *Littleton.

House Joint Resolution No. 240 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Tyler Branham, Valedictorian, Smith County High School. by *Weaver.

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House Joint Resolution No. 241 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Seth Hackett, Salutatorian, Smith County High School. by *Weaver.

House Joint Resolution No. 242 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion - Jimmie and Jean Cunningham, 50th anniversary. by *Holt.

House Joint Resolution No. 243 -- Memorials, Recognition - Dr. Clyde Lane Jr., 2014 Beef Quality Assurance Educator Award, National Cattlemen's Beef Association. by *Halford, *Holt.

House Joint Resolution No. 244 -- Memorials, Recognition - Allan Benton, Benton's Smoky Mountain Country Hams. by *Matlock, *Forgety, *Byrd, *Holt, *Calfee.

House Joint Resolution No. 245 -- Memorials, Death - Rex Howard. by *Carr , *Farmer.

House Joint Resolution No. 246 -- Memorials, Sports - Webb School of Knoxville girls' basketball team TSSAA Division II Class A state champions. by *Daniel.

House Joint Resolution No. 247 -- Memorials, Interns - Yolanda Manning. by *White M, *Coley.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS (Congratulatory and Memorializing)

Pursuant to **Rule No. 17**, the resolutions listed were noted as being placed on the Consent Calendar for April 2, 2015:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 182 -- Memorials, Death - Senator Bobby Carter. by *Jackson, *Bailey, *Beavers, *Bell, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Crowe, *Dickerson, *Gardenhire, *Green, *Gresham, *Haile, *Harper, *Harris, *Hensley, *Johnson, *Kelsey, *Ketron, *Kyle, *Massey, *McNally, *Niceley, *Norris, *Overbey, *Roberts, *Southerland, *Stevens, *Tate, *Tracy, *Watson, *Yager, *Yarbro, *Ramsey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 183 -- Memorials, Death - Doris K. Bonanno. by *Dickerson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 184 -- Memorials, Recognition - Richard Reeves, Rutherford County Election Commission. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 185 -- Memorials, Recognition - Felicia Hix, Rutherford County Election Commission. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 186 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ransom Jones, Rutherford County Election Commission. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 187 -- Memorials, Recognition - Caroline E. Kraft, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Crowe.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 188 -- Memorials, Recognition - Whitney C. Andes, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Crowe.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 189 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jackie "Lynn" Dillon, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *McNally.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 190 -- Memorials, Recognition - Robert A. Presley, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Bell.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 191 -- Memorials, Recognition - Gabriela M. Ortiz, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Bell.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 192 -- Memorials, Recognition - Damian Hazeltine, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Southerland.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 193 -- Memorials, Recognition - Cheyenne L. Gray, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Southerland.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 194 -- Memorials, Recognition - Nicole G. Burney, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Niceley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 195 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jesse Buttry, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Niceley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 196 -- Memorials, Recognition - Alexondria L. McKinney, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Briggs.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 197 -- Memorials, Recognition - Queen McElrath, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Harper.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 198 -- Memorials, Recognition - Jeremy C. Heilig, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Overbey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 199 -- Memorials, Recognition - Akoye S. Brown, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Tate.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 231 -- Memorials, Recognition - Ketron L. Hatton, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Hensley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 232 -- Memorials, Recognition - Bridget N. Saine, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Jackson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 233 -- Memorials, Recognition - Trevon M. Mays, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Stevens.

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Senate Joint Resolution No. 234 -- Memorials, Recognition - Debria G. Tyler, Boys & Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 235 -- Memorials, Recognition - Vinceia M. Crittenden, Boys and Girls Club Youth of the Year. by *Gardenhire.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

On motion, the following bills were introduced and passed first consideration:

House Bill No. 1394 -- Shelby County - As introduced, abolishes extrajurisdictional zoning authority within the unincorporated areas of the county and, under certain circumstances, restores full and sole authority and control to the county board of commissioners. - Amends Chapter 613 of the Private Acts of 1931. by *Todd.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED

On motion, the Senate Bills listed below, transmitted to the House, were held on the Clerk's desk pending third consideration of the companion House Bill as noted:

*Senate Bill No. 11 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes all-terrain vehicles on a portion of a state highway in the Town of Huntsville in Scott County. - Amends TCA Section 55-3-101 and Title 55, Chapter 8, Part 1. by *Yager, *McNally. (HB148 by *Keisling, *Calfee)

- *Senate Bill No. 147 -- Criminal Offenses As introduced, classifies the financial exploitation by a caretaker of an adult as a Class D felony; requires the district attorney to freeze the assets of anyone charged with taking property valued at \$5,000 or more until the criminal proceedings are complete. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 14; Title 40 and Title 71, Chapter 6, Part 1. by *Harper, *Tate. (HB736 by *Love)
- *Senate Bill No. 174 -- Workers Compensation As introduced, includes as information open for public inspection the workers' compensation policy cancellation date and the policy reinstatement date. Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 6, Part 4. by *Ketron. (HB178 by *Lynn)
- **Senate Bill No. 198** -- Elder Abuse As introduced, extends the elder abuse task force from January 15, 2015, to January 15, 2016. Amends TCA Title 71 and Chapter 961 of the Public Acts of 2014. by *Crowe. (*HB123 by *Carr , *Rogers)
- *Senate Bill No. 210 -- Administrative Procedure (UAPA) As introduced, continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state after January 1, 2014; schedules board of optometry rule to expire on the effective date of the Act. Amends Title 4, Chapter 5. by *Bell. (HB344 by *Faison, *Ragan)

- **Senate Bill No. 423** -- Comptroller, State As introduced, makes confidential all examinations administered by the division of property assessments, including, but not limited to, the bank of questions used to develop the tests, the answers, and the answer sheets of individual test takers. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 19; Title 10, Chapter 7 and Title 67, Chapter 1, Part 5. by *Briggs. (*HB262 by *Gravitt)
- **Senate Bill No. 485** -- Boards and Commissions As introduced, transfers administrative responsibilities for the Tennessee board of court reporting to the division of regulatory boards in the department of commerce and insurance. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 13 and Title 20, Chapter 9, Part 6. by *Bell. (*HB471 by *Haynes, *Sanderson)
- **Senate Bill No. 570** -- TennCare As introduced, reduces from 30 days to 15 days the period of time for an applicant for TennCare to mail documentation of a material change affecting the application. Amends TCA Title 68 and Title 71. by *Dickerson. (*HB403 by *Ramsey)
- **Senate Bill No. 649** -- Courts As introduced, creates a task force on implementing efiling in Tennessee's court system; creates a task force on revising the process of appointment of counsel for indigent defendants. Amends TCA Title 16. by *Kelsey. (*HB141 by *Lundberg)
- *Senate Bill No. 655 -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, requires a driver who approaches a stationary solid waste vehicle to treat the vehicle in the same manner as approaching a stationary recovery or highway maintenance vehicle. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 8. by *Kyle. (HB818 by *Cooper, *Hardaway, *Favors, *Fitzhugh, *Shepard, *Camper)
- *Senate Bill No. 674 -- Campaigns and Campaign Finance As introduced, allows candidate and political campaign committee to accept digital currency as a contribution; requires increase in value of digital currency to be reported as interest on statements filed with the registry of election finance; requires candidate to sell digital currency and deposit proceeds before spending the funds. Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 10. by *Dickerson. (HB701 by *Faison)
- *Senate Bill No. 703 -- Utilities, Utility Districts As introduced, adds commissioner to certain multi-county utility district boards. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82. by *Bailey. (HB788 by *Sexton C)
- *Senate Bill No. 718 -- Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities As introduced, permits dependents of military service members to retain priority for receiving home and community-based services under a federal waiver in certain circumstances. Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 5 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *Green. (HB798 by *Pitts)
- **Senate Bill No. 729** -- Driver Licenses As introduced, under certain circumstances, waives driver license tests for an applicant with a valid driver license from a foreign country, if the department of safety enters into a reciprocal memorandum of understanding with a foreign country and the applicant verifies residency. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 50. by *Southerland. (*HB396 by *Goins)
- *Senate Bill No. 786 -- Welfare As introduced, prohibits recipients of public assistance benefits from using an EBT card at a tobacco retailer to purchase certain tobacco products;

prohibits tobacco retailers from permitting the purchase of tobacco products or nicotine products with an EBT card; requires the department of human services to notify public assistance recipients of this prohibition. - Amends TCA Section 71-3-126. by *Beavers, *Roberts. (HB1339 by *Weaver, *Powers, *Lollar, *Wirgau, *White M, *Brooks K, *Lamberth, *Lundberg, *Howell, *McManus, *Terry, *Gravitt, *Hill M, *Durham, *Keisling, *Littleton, *Butt, *Kumar, *Rogers)

Senate Bill No. 789 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, authorizes a motor vehicle dealer licensed to sell used motor vehicles to operate multiple businesses at the dealer's established place of business, if at least 66 percent of the dealer's established place of business is used for vehicle-related business purposes; authorizes the dealer to install signs at the dealer's established place of business to advertise the other businesses. - Amends TCA Title 55 and Title 67. by *Beavers. (*HB730 by *Pody)

Senate Bill No. 836 -- Public Buildings - As introduced, requires that edges of steps into certain public buildings constructed, purchased, or leased by the state or its political subdivisions after July 1, 2015, be marked with yellow paint to assist persons with vision impairment. - Amends TCA Title 68. by *Yager. (*HB477 by *Beck, *Jernigan)

*Senate Bill No. 929 -- Taxes, Hotel Motel - As introduced, authorizes Grundy County, by resolution adopted by a two-thirds vote, to levy an occupancy tax of not more than five percent on the privilege of staying in any hotel or motel in Grundy County; the ordinance must set forth the manner of collection and administration of the privilege tax. - Amends TCA Section 67-4-1425. by *Bowling, *Bailey. (HB1092 by *Dunlap)

Senate Bill No. 978 -- Public Contracts - As introduced, increases, from \$25,000 to \$100,000, the threshold for public works projects that require a registered architect, registered engineer, or registered landscape architect. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6; Title 7; Title 12 and Section 62-2-107. by *Norris. (*HB823 by *Lollar)

Senate Bill No. 988 -- Public Health - As introduced, requires the bureau of TennCare, the department of health, the department of human resources, and the department of finance and administration to jointly develop certain plans and reports concerning diabetes to be made to the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house every two years. - Amends TCA Title 63; Title 68 and Title 71. by *Norris, *Harper, *Tate. (*HB693 by *Akbari, *Camper, *Love, *Fitzhugh, *Cooper, *Favors, *Jones, *Shepard, *Beck, *Hardaway, *Shaw, *Towns, *Stewart, *Powell, *Clemmons, *Parkinson, *Turner)

Senate Bill No. 999 -- School Vouchers - As introduced, enacts the "Tennessee Choice & Opportunity Scholarship Act." - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1. by *Gardenhire, *Kelsey, *Beavers, *Johnson, *Norris, *Gresham. (*HB1049 by *Dunn, *Sexton J, *McCormick, *Eldridge, *Carter, *Johnson, *Goins, *Holt, *Spivey, *Butt, *Powers, *Kane, *Haynes, *Lundberg, *Casada, *Williams, *White M, *Brooks K, *Matlock, *Matheny, *Kumar, *Moody, *McManus, *White D, *Ragan)

Senate Bill No. 1024 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates a Class A misdemeanor offense of causing a person under 18 years of age to attend an animal fight; increases the penalty for a second or subsequent conviction for involvement in cockfighting to a Class E felony; increases the penalty for the offense of being a spectator at an animal fight to a Class A misdemeanor. - Amends TCA Section 39-14-203. by *Ketron, *Tate, *Briggs, *Dickerson, *Haile, *Yarbro. (*HB962 by *Lundberg, *Miller, *Jernigan, *Jones, *Kumar, *McManus, *Akbari, *Camper)

Senate Bill No. 1026 -- Motor Vehicles - As introduced, allows producers of motor vehicles who lease vehicles to eligible employees to sell the vehicle to a franchised dealer after the lease, and allows the franchised dealer to purchase no more than 30 of the vehicles per month, but prohibits the sale of the vehicle for 90 days from the time in which the motor vehicle was purchased by the franchised dealer. - Amends TCA Section 55-17-123. by *Ketron, *Tracy. (*HB1030 by *Alexander)

Senate Bill No. 1056 -- Licenses - As introduced, authorizes combat veterans, police officers, firefighters, and emergency medical technicians who reside out of state and who are 50 percent service connected disabled to receive a sport hunting and fishing license upon payment of an annual \$10.00 fee. - Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 2. by *Green, *Briggs. (*HB1041 by *Wirgau, *Sanderson)

Senate Bill No. 1157 -- State Employees - As introduced, extends the date by which TACIR must create a model policy for employers to prevent abusive conduct in the workplace from March 1, 2015, to September 1, 2015. - Amends TCA Title 50, Chapter 1, Part 5. by *Norris. (*HB588 by *Parkinson)

Senate Bill No. 1180 -- County Government - As introduced, deletes an exemption for Washington County from the general law governing procedures for amending a county budget. - Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 9, Part 4. by *Crowe. (*HB1060 by *VanHuss)

Senate Bill No. 1185 -- Planning, Public - As introduced, authorizes the city of Kingsport to participate in the Tennessee local land bank program. - Amends TCA Title 13, Chapter 30. by *Crowe. (*HB454 by *Hulsey)

Senate Bill No. 1237 -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, increases, from one to three, the number of consecutive years that a person may purchase annual permits to exempt themselves from hunter education requirements. - Amends TCA Section 70-2-108. by *Bell. (*HB1079 by *Travis)

*Senate Bill No. 1273 -- Game and Fish Laws - As introduced, requires cages at facilities for holding Class I wildlife be constructed and maintained to provide sufficient space for each animal to have adequate freedom of movement. - Amends TCA Title 70, Chapter 4, Part 4. by *Yager. (HB1363 by *Calfee)

Senate Bill No. 1289 -- General Assembly - As introduced, requires annual reports of the office of the repealer to be posted on the repealer's web page. - Amends TCA Title 3. by *Hensley. (*HB1118 by *McDaniel)

Senate Bill No. 1317 -- Alcohol Offenses, Motor Vehicles - As introduced, changes age group to which offense of underage driving while impaired statute applies from 16–21 to 16–18 and gives judge the authority to order the issuance of a restricted license, including interlock device, to 16–18 year olds committing underage driving while impaired. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 10, Part 4. by *McNally. (*HB622 by *Farmer, *Lamberth)

Senate Bill No. 1345 -- Education, Higher - As introduced, requires all public postsecondary institutions to close on November 11 in observance of Veterans Day. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 7, Part 1. by *McNally, *Gresham, *Bell, *Briggs, *Norris. (*HB243 by *Powers, *Moody, *Kane, *Casada, *Calfee, *Farmer, *Hill T, *Durham, *Littleton, *Lynn, *Keisling, *VanHuss, *Goins, *Sanderson, *Hulsey, *Hawk, *Carter, *Travis, *Butt, *Love, *Byrd, *Ragan, *Windle, *Matheny, *Marsh, *Rogers, *Womick, *Camper, *Parkinson, *Gravitt, *Shepard, *Sparks, *Sexton J)

Senate Bill No. 1361 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities - As introduced, clarifies that a nursing home or related facility applying for a license must certify that it has a policy of informing employees of their present law duty to report not only abuse and neglect, but also exploitation; updates a reference to the Current Dental Terminology (CDT) codes used on ADA claim forms submitted by certain dental services providers. - Amends TCA Title 67; Title 68, Chapter 11 and Title 71, Chapter 5. by *McNally, *Bowling, *Briggs, *Ramsey, *Yager. (*HB516 by *Harrison)

REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **March 31**, **2015**, reported the following:

CIVIL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

The Civil Justice Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 494 and 829, also House Bills Nos. 672, 1285, 1341, 200, 1094, 979, 218, 479 and 1003 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 499, 854, 714, 792, 141, House Joint Resolution No. 71 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee further reports that House Bill No. 1302 was considered, but failed to pass.

EDUCATION ADMINISTRATION AND PLANNING COMMITTEE

The Education Administration & Planning Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 32 and 78. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 921, 1117 and 473 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

EDUCATION INSTRUCTION AND PROGRAMS COMMITTEE

The Education Instruction & Programs Committee recommended for passage: House Bill No. 830 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 1089 and 947 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Government Operations Committee for review: House Bills Nos. 834 and 138 with amendments.

FINANCE, WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

The Finance, Ways & Means Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 630, 238, 329, 149, 1318, 732, 161, 291, 81, 123, 703, 179, 454, 287, 1198, 674, 636, 1307, 1171, 1242, 899, 188, 661, 132, 191, 107, 63, 514, 572, 86 and 1165, also House Bills Nos. 1099, 1185, 95 and 172 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

The Government Operations Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 346, 349 and 382, also House Bill No. 352 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 1046, 606, 1012, 471, 290 and 763, also House Bills Nos. 1337 and 1049 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

INSURANCE AND BANKING COMMITTEE

The Insurance and Banking Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 531 and 1172 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bill No. 643, also House Bill No. 992 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The Local Government Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 530, 1388, 1386 and 1387, also House Bills Nos. 292 and 795 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 1254, 951 and 708 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the State Government Committee: House Bill No. 568 with amendments.

The Committee further reports that House Bill No. 1350 was considered, but failed to pass.

STATE GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE

The State Government Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 190, 707, 177, 588 and 186, also House Bills Nos. 47, 216 and 397 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 669, 1009, and 681, also House Bills Nos. 1232, 131, 513, 823 and 1276 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee further reports that House Bill No. 140 was considered, but failed to pass.

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

The Transportation Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 1347, 1030 and 818, also House Bills Nos. 1355 and 616 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 201, 148 and 686 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Education Administration & Planning Committee: House Bill No. 910, also House Bill No. 577 with amendments.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Government Operations Committee for review: House Bill No. 855 with amendments.

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REPORTS FROM STANDING COMMITTEES

The committees that met on **April 1, 2015**, reported the following:

AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES COMMITTEE

The Agriculture and Natural Resources Committee recommended for passage: Senate Joint Resolution No. 92, also House Bill No. 1363 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 962, 1079 and 225, also House Bills Nos. 1321, 96, 978 and 868 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Criminal Justice Committee: House Bill No. 519 with amendments.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Government Operations Committee for review: House Bill No. 147, also House Bill No. 833 with amendments.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Health Committee: House Bill No. 309 with amendments.

The Committee further reports that House Bill No. 611 was considered, but failed to pass.

BUSINESS AND UTILITIES COMMITTEE

The Business and Utilities Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 1336 and 1360, also House Bills Nos. 1039, 71, 787, 594, 820, 1308 and 490 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bill No. 273, also House Bills Nos. 24 and 232 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Government Operations Committee for review: House Bill No. 593, also House Bills Nos. 595 and 1332 with amendments.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Transportation Committee: House Bill No. 1043 with amendments.

CONSUMER AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

The Consumer and Human Resources Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 776 and 558 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bill No. 178, also House Bill No. 94 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE

The Criminal Justice Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 505, 632, 880, 808, 1340, 1225, 853, 404 and 827, also House Bills Nos. 583, 57, 496, 1239 and 843 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 306, 464, 576 and 720, also House Bills Nos. 203, 1327, 170, 457, 754 and 873 with amendments. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Business and Utilities Committee: House Bill No. 592 with amendments.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Civil Justice Committee: House Bill No. 1342 with amendments.

The Committee also transmitted the following to the Health Committee: House Bill No. 1216 with amendments.

HEALTH COMMITTEE

The Health Committee recommended for passage: House Bills Nos. 1368 and 212, also House Bills Nos. 197 and 894 with amendments. Under the rules, each was transmitted to the Calendar and Rules Committee.

It further recommended that the following be referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee: House Bills Nos. 75 and 122. Pursuant to **Rule No. 72**, each was referred to the Finance, Ways and Means Committee.

DELAYED BILLS REFERRED April 1, 2015

Pursuant to **Rule No. 77**, House Joint Resolution No. 248 was referred to the Delayed Bills Committee.

House Joint Resolution No. 248 -- State Symbols - Adopts "Echoes from a Soldier's Grave" as an official veterans poem of the state. by *Howell.

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CONSENT CALENDAR

House Joint Resolution No. 229 -- Memorials, Sports - Belmont University men's basketball team. by *Clemmons, *Beck, *Gilmore.

House Joint Resolution No. 230 -- Memorials, Recognition - Fentress County Agricultural Fair, Tennessee's 2014 Single "A" Division Champion Fair. by *Keisling, *Windle.

House Joint Resolution No. 232 -- Memorials, Recognition - Montgomery County Adult Drug Court, 10th anniversary. by *Pitts, *Johnson, *Reedy.

House Joint Resolution No. 233 -- Memorials, Recognition - Vanecia Belser Kimbrow, I AM A VOTER Strategic Collaborative. by *Akbari, *Camper.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 168 -- Memorials, Recognition - Celebrate G.R.I.T.S. (Girls Really Into Shooting) Days in Tennessee. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 169 -- Memorials, Recognition - Michael Zietz, Prudential Spirit of Community Award recipient. by *Ketron, *Tracy.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 173 -- Memorials, Recognition - East Tennessee Women's Leadership Summit, 10th Anniversary. by *Massey, *McNally.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 174 -- Memorials, Recognition - Michael Brady Inc., 25th anniversary. by *Massey.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 175 -- Memorials, Death - Wallace Alley. by *Ramsey, *Crowe, *Southerland, *Niceley.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 176 -- Memorials, Death - Thomas Murdic. by *Johnson.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 178 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Grant N. Garrison, Valedictorian, Westmoreland High School. by *Haile.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 179 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Sara Kennedy, Valedictorian, Westmoreland High School. by *Haile.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 180 -- Memorials, Academic Achievement - Hayley Andrews, Salutatorian, Westmoreland High School. by *Haile.

Rep. Akbari moved that all members voting aye on House Joint Resolution No. 233 be added as co-prime sponsors with Shelby County delegation listed first, which motion prevailed with the following members not added pursuant to the signed Sponsor Exclusion form: Reps. Butt, Pody and Ragan.

Pursuant to **Rule No. 50**, Rep. Dunn moved that all House Bills having companion Senate Bills and are on the Clerk's desk be conformed and substituted for the appropriate House Bill, all Senate and House Bills on the Consent Calendar be passed on third and final consideration, all House Resolutions and House Joint Resolutions be adopted, and all Senate Joint Resolutions on the Consent Calendar be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	. 0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REGULAR CALENDAR

House Bill No. 609 -- Divorce, Annulment and Alimony - As introduced, requires account balances, accrued benefits, or other values of vested and unvested pension benefits, vested and unvested stock option rights, retirement and other fringe benefits relating to employment prior to the date of marriage together with the appreciation of the value be treated as separate property for purposes of division of property in a divorce or legal separation. - Amends TCA Title 36, Chapter 4. by *Carter. (*SB161 by *Massey)

On motion, House Bill No. 609 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 161**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Carter moved that Senate Bill No. 161 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Lundberg moved adoption of Civil Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND Senate Bill No. 161 by deleting the language "reasonably reliable method of attributing postmarital appreciation" from subdivision (B)(iii) in Section 1 and substituting instead the language "reasonable method of accounting to attribute postmarital appreciation".

On motion, Civil Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

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Rep. Carter moved that **Senate Bill No. 161**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 52 -- Clerks, Court - As introduced, allows court clerk, subject to approval of the judge, to accept a lump-sum partial payment in full settlement for all court costs, fees, and litigation taxes owed; provided, that the amount has been in default for at least five years and the amount settled upon is 50 percent or more of the combined outstanding balance. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 24, Part 1. by *Carter, *Faison, *Swann, *Ramsey. (*SB19 by *Ketron, *Overbey)

- Rep. Carter moved that House Bill No. 52 be passed on third and final consideration.
- Rep. Camper moved previous question, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Carter moved that **House Bill No. 52** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 72 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, revises various provisions relating to tax reporting by insurance companies. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *McCormick, *Brooks K. (*SB82 by *Norris)

On motion, House Bill No. 72 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 82**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

- Rep. Travis moved that Senate Bill No. 82 be passed on third and final consideration.
- Rep. McManus moved that Insurance and Banking Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.
- Rep. Travis moved that **Senate Bill No. 82** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 904 -- Education, State Board of - As introduced, restricts the state board from denying licensure for principals based on whether the applicant graduated from a college or university's master program located outside of this state. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Clemmons, *Eldridge. (SB1088 by *Harris)

Rep. Clemmons moved that House Bill No. 904 be reset for the Regular Calendar on April 8, 2015, which motion prevailed.

*House Bill No. 18 -- Insurance, Health, Accident - As introduced, prohibits health insurance entities from charging a covered person a greater copayment or coinsurance amount for primary care services rendered during an office visit to a physician assistant than those

charged for primary care services rendered during an office visit to a physician. - Amends TCA Title 56, Chapter 7. by *Shepard, *Durham, *Sexton C. (SB54 by *Green, *Bell)

On motion, House Bill No. 18 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 54**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Shepard moved that Senate Bill No. 54 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. McManus moved that Insurance and Banking Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Shepard moved that **Senate Bill No. 54** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 891 -- Students - As introduced, authorizes a school principal to excuse students for non-school-sponsored extracurricular activities; requires the student to submit to the school documentation of the activity and the parents to submit a written request to the principal at least seven days prior to the student's requested excused absence. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 30. by *Dunlap. (*SB359 by *Bailey)

On motion, House Bill No. 891 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 359**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Dunlap moved that **Senate Bill No. 359** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	3	96
Noes	S	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins,

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Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 84 -- General Services, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes public institutions of higher education and the department to participate in, sponsor, conduct, or administer cooperative purchasing agreements with other states or local governments for the procurement of certain goods or services; revises the protest process for challenging a solicitation, award, or proposed award of a state contract; revises provisions governing authorized limitations of liability in certain state contracts. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 2, Part 1; Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 5 and Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 7. by *McCormick, *Brooks K. (*SB95 by *Norris)

Rep. Haynes moved that House Bill No. 84 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Ramsey moved that State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Haynes moved that **House Bill No. 84** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	O

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 523 -- Lakeland - As introduced, authorizes the board of commissioners of the city of Lakeland to adopt an ordinance to establish term limits for the mayor and board of commissioners, to become operative only if approved in a referendum. - Amends TCA Title 6. by *Lollar, *Carr . (SB979 by *Norris)

Rep. Lollar moved that House Bill No. 523 be passed on third and final consideration.

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Rep. Sargent moved adoption of Finance, Ways & Means Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 523 by adding the following language as a new subsection to the amendatory language of Section 1:

(c) Any referendum required by this section may only be submitted to the voters at a regular August election, regular November election, or regularly scheduled municipal election.

On motion, Finance, Ways & Means Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Lollar moved that **House Bill No. 523**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	95
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 95

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 106 -- Tort Liability and Reform - As introduced, grants immunity from civil liability to individuals providing volunteer transportation services to senior citizens on behalf of a charitable organization or human service agency, so long as the individual is acting within the scope of their official duties. - Amends TCA Title 29, Chapter 34, Part 2. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Lollar, *Littleton. (*SB117 by *Norris, *Yager, *Bowling, *Ketron)

On motion, House Bill No. 106 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 117**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Lollar moved that Senate Bill No. 117 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Lundberg moved that Civil Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

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Rep. Coley moved the previous question, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Lollar moved that **Senate Bill No. 117** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	95
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 95

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 224 -- Boards and Commissions - As introduced, adds a member to the great war commission to be appointed by the governor from a list of persons submitted by the Fentress County historical society to honor Sergeant Alvin C. York. - Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 11, Part 4. by *Keisling, *Windle. (SB427 by *Yager)

On motion, House Bill No. 224 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 427**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Keisling moved that Senate Bill No. 427 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Ramsey moved that State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Keisling moved that **Senate Bill No. 427** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	93
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner,

Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 93

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 308 -- Child Custody and Support - As introduced, specifies that it is grounds for the termination of parental rights that the parent or guardian is convicted on or after July 1, 2015, of the offense of sex trafficking of children under federal law, or under the law of another state. - Amends TCA Section 36-1-113. by *Wilburn, *McDaniel. (SB697 by *Stevens)

Rep. Wilburn moved that **House Bill No. 308** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	95
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 95

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 865 -- Children - As introduced, allows law enforcement officers to transport minor victims of prostitution to a shelter care facility designated by the juvenile court judge to facilitate the release of the minor to the custody of a parent or legal guardian. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 13, Part 5. by *Powell. (SB795 by *Kelsey)

Rep. Powell moved that **House Bill No. 865** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	95
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 95

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 923 -- Criminal Offenses - As introduced, creates the offense of aggressive panhandling where a first violation is a Class C misdemeanor and a second or subsequent violation is a Class B misdemeanor. - Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 3. by *Akbari. (*SB596 by *Kelsey)

On motion, House Bill No. 923 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 596**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Akbari moved that Senate Bill No. 596 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Lamberth moved that Criminal Justice Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Akbari moved that **Senate Bill No. 596** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	94
Noes	1

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 94

Representatives voting no were: Sparks -- 1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Bill No. 158 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel - As introduced, makes the Little Hatch Act applicable to teachers and certain other public school employees. - Amends TCA Title 2, Chapter 19, Part 2; Title 49, Chapter 2 and Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Casada. (SB183 by *Hensley)

Rep. Casada moved that House Bill No. 158 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. H. Brooks moved adoption of Education Administration & Planning Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 158 by deleting Section 5 of the bill and substituting instead:

SECTION 5. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-19-206, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(d)

- (1) Subsections (a), (b), and (c) shall not apply to teachers.
 - (2) It is unlawful for any teacher to display campaign literature, banners, placards, streamers, stickers, signs, or other items of campaign or political advertising on behalf of any party, committee or agency, or candidate for partisan or nonpartisan public office elected by the people, on the premises of any building or land owned by a local education agency (LEA), or to use any of the facilities of the LEA, including equipment and vehicles, for such purposes. This subdivision (d)(2) does not apply to the display of campaign banners, placards, streamers, stickers, signs, or other items of campaign or political advertising on LEA-owned property or the use of LEA equipment, when the display or use is a part of and solely for the purpose of the LEA's program of student education relative to the electoral process. Except for the use of LEA-owned equipment and vehicles, this subdivision (d)(2) does not apply to a teacher during hours in which the teacher is not performing school duties.
 - (3) This subsection (d) shall not be construed to prohibit any teacher from displaying a decal or bumper sticker on the teacher's personal vehicle while the vehicle is parked on LEA property.

AND FURTHER AMEND by inserting the following new section immediately preceding the last section and renumbering the subsequent section accordingly:

SECTION ____. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 2-19-207, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection (c):

(c)

- (1) Subsections (a) and (b) shall not apply to teachers.
- (2) It is unlawful for any teacher employed by an LEA during those hours of the day when the LEA requires the teacher to be performing school duties to:
 - (A) Engage actively in a political campaign on behalf of any party, committee, organization, or agency;
 - (B) Engage in a campaign for a candidate for partisan or nonpartisan public office elected by the people;
 - (C) Attend political meetings or rallies;
 - (D) Use the teacher's employment to interfere with or affect the result of any regular or special primary election conducted within the state; or
 - (E) Perform political campaign duties or functions.
- (3) Nothing in this subsection (c) shall be construed to deprive a teacher from voting for the party or candidate of the teacher's choice or to deprive the teacher of the right to express the teacher's personal opinion concerning any political subject, party, or candidate.
- (4) A teacher on leave or during those hours in which the teacher is not required to be performing school duties is not subject to the restrictions in subdivision (c)(2). No policy or rule of an LEA shall be more restrictive of the political activity of a teacher on leave or during those hours in which the teacher is not required to be performing school duties than those restrictions set forth in this subsection (c).

Rep. Todd moved the previous question on Amendment No. 1, which motion prevailed.

On motion, Education Administration & Planning Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Todd moved the previous question, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Casada moved that **House Bill No. 158**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Ayes	. 68
Noes	. 27

Representatives voting aye were: Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Calfee, Carr, Carter, Casada, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Moody, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Swann, Todd, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 68

Representatives voting no were: Akbari, Armstrong, Byrd, Camper, Clemmons, Dunlap, Favors, Fitzhugh, Gilmore, Hardaway, Hulsey, Jernigan, Jones, Love, Miller, Mitchell, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Shaw, Shepard, Stewart, Terry, Towns, Turner, Windle -- 27

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 547 -- Credit and Debit Cards - As introduced, requires an entity that processes certain payment card transactions for a merchant to disclose certain details about the fees charged to the merchant in a periodic statement; provides for a civil penalty of up to \$2,000 per violation. - Amends TCA Title 45 and Title 47. by *Casada. (*SB316 by *Johnson, *Tate)

Rep. Casada moved that House Bill No. 547 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. McManus moved adoption of Insurance and Banking Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 547 by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 47, Chapter 22, is amended by adding the following language as a new part:

47-22-401. As used in this part:

- (1) "Agreement" means a contract to provide payment services;
- (2) "Bank holding company":
- (A) Has the same meaning as defined in 12 U.S.C. § 1841;
- (B) Includes any subsidiaries or affiliates, as defined in 12 U.S.C. § 1841, of a bank holding company; and

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- (C) Includes any federal credit union or state credit union, as those terms are defined in 12 U.S.C. § 1752;
- (3) "Card issuer" means any person who issues a credit card, debit card, or other payment card, or the agent of the person with respect to the card;
- (4) "Credit card" means any card, plate, coupon book, or other credit device existing for the purpose of obtaining money, property, labor, or services on credit;

(5) "Debit card":

- (A) Means any card, or other payment code or device, issued or approved for use through a payment card network to debit an asset account, regardless of the purpose for which the account is established, whether authorization is based on signature, PIN, or other means;
- (B) Includes a general-use prepaid card, as defined in 15 U.S.C. § 1693l- 1(a)(2)(A); and
 - (C) Does not include paper checks;
- (6) "Merchant" means a person, located in this state, that is in the business of selling property or services and that accepts credit cards, debit cards, or other payment cards as payment for property or services sold;

(7) "Other payment card":

- (A) Means any stored-value card, smart card, gift card, or other similar device that enables a person to obtain property or services in a transaction with a merchant, the payment for which is initiated through a payment card network; and
 - (B) Does not include credit cards or debit cards;
- (8) "Payment acquirer" means a person that contracts directly with a merchant to provide payment services;
 - (9) "Payment card network" means an entity:
 - (A) That directly, or through licensed members, processors, or agents, provides the proprietary services, infrastructure, and software that route information and data to conduct credit card, debit card, or other payment card transaction authorization, clearance, and settlement; and
 - (B) That a person uses in order to accept as a form of payment a brand of credit card, debit card, or other payment card;

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- (10) "Payment services" means the acceptance, transmission, collection, or settlement of the merchant's sales receipts for the merchant's credit card, debit card, or other payment card transactions; and
 - (11) "Payment services fee":
 - (A) Means any amount:
 - (i) Charged, established, or received by a payment acquirer, payment card network, or card issuer; and
 - (ii) Paid by a merchant in relation to a credit card, debit card, or other payment card transaction;
 - (B) Includes any amount related to the purchase or lease of equipment as part of an agreement to provide payment services used in relationship to credit card, debit card, or other payment card transactions if the amount is charged, established, or received by a payment acquirer, payment card network, or card issuer; and
 - (C) Does not include any fees for providing deposit account, loan, or other services by a bank holding company.
- **47-22-402.** Any payment acquirer that contracts directly with a merchant to provide payment services shall:
- (1) Provide the merchant with information indicating where the merchant may obtain access to the operating rules, regulations, and bylaws applicable under the agreement with the merchant; provided, however, nothing in this subdivision (1) shall require access by the merchant to information made proprietary or confidential by law or contract;
- (2) Disclose the following information in any agreement with the merchant:
 - (A) The effective date of the agreement;
 - (B) The term of the agreement;
 - (C) The provisions for early termination or cancellation of the agreement, if any; and
 - (D) A complete schedule of all payment services fees applicable to the credit card, debit card, or other payment card services under the agreement; and

- (3) At the regular period agreed upon by the payment acquirer and the merchant, but not less than monthly, promptly supply the merchant with a statement, which may be electronic, that includes:
 - (A) An itemized list of all payment services fees assessed since the previous statement;
 - (B) The total value of the transactions processed by the payment acquirer for the merchant during the statement period; and
 - (C) If the payment acquirer is not a bank holding company, an indication of the aggregate fee percentage, which shall be calculated by dividing the sum of all payment services fees accrued during the statement period by the total value of the transactions processed by the payment acquirer for the merchant during the statement period.

47-22-403.

- (a) If a payment acquirer fails to comply with § 47-22-402, the merchant may terminate the agreement; provided, however, prior to terminating the agreement, the merchant shall provide the payment acquirer written notice of the payment acquirer's failure to comply with § 47-22-402. The notice required by this subsection (a) shall specify the information the merchant requests under § 47-22-402. If the agreement sets out the manner by which notice pursuant to this subsection (a) shall be given, the terms of the agreement as to the manner in which the notice shall be given shall control.
- (b) If noncompliance is based on a failure to disclose information described in § 47-22-402(1) or (3), the payment acquirer shall be given thirty (30) days from the date notice was provided to the payment acquirer pursuant to subsection (a) to comply with § 47-22-402 and provide the information. Notwithstanding subsection (a), if the payment acquirer complies with § 47-22-402(1) or (3) within the thirty-day period, the merchant shall not be allowed to terminate the agreement pursuant to this section.
- SECTION 2. If this act and SB 911 / HB 1172 both become law, the code commission is requested to create one single part for both acts, remove redundant definitions in § 47-22-401, and redesignate sections accordingly.
- SECTION 3. Section 47-22-402(3)(C) shall take effect March 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to agreements entered into or renewed on or after that date. All other provisions of this act shall take effect January 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it, and shall apply to all agreements entered into or renewed on or after that date.

On motion, Insurance and Banking Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Casada moved that **House Bill No. 547**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

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Ayes	92
Noes	1

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Towns, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 92

Representatives voting no were: Windle -- 1

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

House Bill No. 70 -- Insurance Companies, Agents, Brokers, Policies - As introduced, makes various revisions regarding captive insurance companies. - Amends TCA Title 56. by *McCormick, *Brooks K, *Casada, *Goins. (*SB80 by *Norris, *Overbey)

On motion, House Bill No. 70 was made to conform with **Senate Bill No. 80**; the Senate Bill was substituted for the House Bill.

Rep. Casada moved that Senate Bill No. 80 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. McManus moved that Insurance and Banking Committee Amendment No. 1 be withdrawn, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Casada moved that **Senate Bill No. 80** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	95
Noes	2

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey,

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Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 95

Representatives voting no were: Towns, Windle -- 2

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

*House Joint Resolution No. 57 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position - Affirms commitment to equal right to technology and information access for Tennesseans with disabilities. by *McCormick, *Jernigan, *Hardaway.

Further consideration of House Joint Resolution No. 57, previously considered on March 30, 2015, at which time it was reset for today's Calendar.

Rep. Dunn moved all member voting in the affirmative be added as co-prime sponsors of House Joint Resolution No. 57, which motion prevailed.

Rep. McCormick moved adoption of **House Joint Resolution No. 57**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	97
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 97

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senate Bill No. 704 -- Agriculture - As introduced, specifies that the annual planting and harvest seasons for the state extend from January 1 to December 31 of each year. - Amends TCA Title 43, Chapter 1, Part 1 and Title 70, Chapter 8, Part 2. by *Bailey, *Bowling, *Haile, *Stevens. (*HB716 by *Moody, *Terry)

Further consideration of Senate Bill No. 704, previously considered on March 30, 2015, at which time the House substituted the Senate Bill for the House Bill, withdrew Amendment No. 1, and it was reset for today's Calendar.

Rep. Moody moved that **Senate Bill No. 704** be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION TO RECONSIDER

House Bill No. 84 -- General Services, Dept. of - As introduced, authorizes public institutions of higher education and the department to participate in, sponsor, conduct, or administer cooperative purchasing agreements with other states or local governments for the procurement of certain goods or services; revises the protest process for challenging a solicitation, award, or proposed award of a state contract; revises provisions governing authorized limitations of liability in certain state contracts. - Amends TCA Title 12, Chapter 2, Part 1; Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 5 and Title 12, Chapter 3, Part 7. by *McCormick, *Brooks K. (*SB95 by *Norris)

Rep. Haynes moved to lift from the table the motion to reconsider action in passing House Bill No. 84, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Haynes moved to reconsider action in passing House Bill No. 84, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Haynes moved that House Bill No. 84 be passed on third and final consideration.

Rep. Ramsey moved that the House reconsider its action in withdrawing State Government Committee Amendment No. 1, which motion prevailed.

Rep. Ramsey moved adoption of State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 as follows:

Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Bill No. 84 by deleting the amendatory language of SECTION 1 and substituting instead the following:

- (a) The department of general services and public institutions of higher education may each participate in, sponsor, conduct, or administer a cooperative purchasing agreement with one (1) or more other governmental entities in accordance with state building commission policies and procedures, for:
 - (1) The procurement of services relating to the transfer, ownership, maintenance, or management of real property; or
 - (2) The procurement of construction materials.
- (b) Notwithstanding subsection (a), no cooperative purchasing agreement shall be used to procure any services covered by § 12-4-107(a)(1).
- (c) All cooperative purchasing conducted under this section shall be awarded through full and open competition.

AND FURTHER AMEND by deleting the language "Tennessee small business" from the first and second sentences in subsection (g) of SECTION 3 and substituting instead the language "small business".

On motion, State Government Committee Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Rep. Haynes moved that **House Bill No. 84**, as amended, be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	97
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 97

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MESSAGE CALENDAR

HOUSE ACTION ON SENATE MESSAGES

*House Joint Resolution No. 113 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment - Susan Bunch, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission. by *Spivey.

Senate Amendment No. 1

AMEND House Joint Resolution No. 113 by deleting the word "Middle" in the fourth preamble clause and substituting instead the word "West".

Rep. Spivey moved that the House concur in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Joint Resolution No. 113**, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	96
Noes	0

Representatives voting aye were: Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 96

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

REQUEST TO CHANGE VOTE

Pursuant to **Rule No. 31**, the following member desires to change their original stand from "not voting" to "aye" on concurring in Senate Amendment No. 1 to **House Joint Resolution No. 113** and have this statement entered in the Journal: Rep. Howell.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

RULES SUSPENDED

Rep. McCormick moved that the rules be suspended in order to allow **House Bill No. 780** to be heard in the Local Government Subcommittee this week, which motion prevailed.

NOTICE TO ACT ON SENATE MESSAGE

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Pursuant to Rule No. 59, notice was given that the following measure from the Senate would be considered on April 2, 2015:

House Bill No. 135: by Rep. Faison

Senate Bill No. 893: by Rep. Daniel

ANNOUNCEMENTS

RECOGNITION IN THE WELL

Leaders McCormick and Fitzhugh were recognized in the Well to remind the membership about the House Homecoming occurring tonight.

SPONSORS ADDED

Under **Rule No. 43**, the following members were permitted to add their names as sponsors as indicated below, the prime sponsor of each having agreed to such addition:

House Bill No. 107 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 425 Rep. Holt as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 542 Rep. Sanderson as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 615 Reps. Todd and Dunlap as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 661 Rep. Hardaway as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 977 Rep. Holt as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 989 Rep. Holt as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1216 Reps. Lamberth and Farmer as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1294 Reps. Towns, Beck, Daniel, Shepard, Rogers and Womick as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1303 Rep. Moody as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1341 Rep. Reedy as prime sponsor.

House Bill No. 1368 Reps. Holt, Casada, Matlock, Hazlewood and Matheny as prime sponsors.

House Bill No. 1372 Reps. Lundberg, J. Sexton and Sparks as prime sponsors.

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SPONSORS REMOVED

On motion, Rep. M. White was removed as sponsor of House Joint Resolution No. 90.

On motion, Rep. Swann was removed as sponsor of House Bill No. 47.

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bill No. 1088; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

Senate Bill No. 1088 -- Education, State Board of - As introduced, restricts the state board from denying licensure for principals based on whether the applicant graduated from a college or university's master program located outside of this state. - Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 5. by *Harris. (*HB904 by *Clemmons, *Eldridge)

SIGNED April 1, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Bills Nos. 55, 99, 102, 221, 239, 243, 247, 249, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 319, 401, 413, 440, 475, 540, 814, 877, 898, 930, 1036, 1048, 1074 and 1293.

JOE MCCORD, Chief Clerk

SIGNED April 1, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Bills Nos. 108, 113, 119, 163, 253, 354, 408, 429, 537, 554, 918, 1158 and 1233.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

REPORT OF CHIEF ENGROSSING CLERK April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: House Bills Nos. 549, 1379 and 1382; also House

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Joint Resolutions Nos. 51, 100, 107, 181, 183, 184, 185, 186, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192 and 193; for his action.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Joint Resolution No. 113; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

SIGNED April 1, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: House Joint Resolution No. 113.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ENGROSSED BILLS April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: The following bills have been examined, engrossed and are ready for transmission to the Senate: House Bills Nos. 52, 84, 158, 308, 523, 547 and 865; also House Joint Resolutions Nos. 57, 229, 230, 232 and 233.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 330; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 995; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject, amended, and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

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MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the House, House Bill No. 639; substituted for Senate Bill on same subject and passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Bills Nos. 126, 307, 417, 582, 619, 689, 710 and 753; passed by the Senate.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

- *Senate Bill No. 126 -- Motor Vehicles As introduced, defines "curbstoning" as the practice of selling, or offering to sell, a motor vehicle that is not titled in the seller's name by a person lacking a license to sell motor vehicles in this state and permits state entities to seize vehicles offered for sale as part of a curbstoning scheme. Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33, Part 2; Title 55, Chapter 16; Title 55, Chapter 17, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 3. by *Tracy. (HB132 by *Johnson)
- *Senate Bill No. 307 -- Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities As introduced, requires the department of intellectual and developmental disabilities to seek approval from the family support council before making changes to the administration of the family support program. Amends TCA Title 33, Chapter 5. by *Dickerson. (HB894 by *Brooks K, *Clemmons)
- **Senate Bill No. 417** -- Utilities, Utility Districts As introduced, defines genuine signatures for purposes of initiating a customer petition of utility district rates; modifies hearing procedures; makes the comptroller or the comptroller's designee the chair of the utility management review board; and revises other various provisions of law governing utility districts. Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 82. by *Tracy. (*HB195 by *Marsh)
- *Senate Bill No. 582 -- Highway Patrol As introduced, enables members of the Tennessee highway patrol to authorize payroll deductions for the payment of membership dues for organizations that meet certain criteria. Amends TCA Title 8. by *Overbey. (HB1312 by *Swann, *Matlock)
- **Senate Bill No. 619** -- Deeds As introduced, clarifies who is to receive notice of certain sales of real property. Amends TCA Title 35, Chapter 5, Part 1 and Title 67, Chapter 5, Part 25. by *Tracy. (*HB607 by *Travis)
- *Senate Bill No. 689 -- Solid Waste Disposal As introduced, requires that TDEC include information concerning recycling and composting efforts under the state's comprehensive solid waste management plan in its annual report to the governor and general assembly concerning the solid waste management system. Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 211. by *Southerland. (HB764 by *Gilmore)
- *Senate Bill No. 710 -- Alcoholic Beverages As introduced, authorizes establishments holding a license for consumption of alcoholic beverages on the premises to pay wholesalers of

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alcoholic beverages within a time period negotiated between the parties, instead of at or near the time of delivery; authorizes the establishments to pay with cash, check, electronic funds transfer, credit card, debit card, or other methods as approved by the alcoholic beverage commission. - Amends TCA Section 57-4-203. by *Green, *Overbey, *Harris. (HB826 by *Jernigan, *Farmer, *Carr, *Lundberg, *Powell, *McDaniel, *Lamberth, *Lynn)

Senate Bill No. 753 -- Dentists and Dentistry - As introduced, deletes provisions governing examinations for specialist certificates; amends the prohibition against issuing credentialed status in an unrecognized area of dental practice by removing the exemption for certain schools. - Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 5. by *Watson. (*HB117 by *Ramsey)

MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the House, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 168, 169, 173, 174, 175, 176, 178, 179 and 180; For the signature of the Speaker.

RUSSELL A. HUMPHREY, Chief Clerk

SIGNED April 1, 2015

The Speaker announced that she had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 168, 169, 173, 174, 175, 176, 178, 179 and 180.

JOE MCCORD, Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS April 1, 2015

MADAM SPEAKER: Your Chief Engrossing Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared House Bill No. 639; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

GREG GLASS, Chief Engrossing Clerk

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present 97

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Representatives present were Akbari, Alexander, Armstrong, Beck, Brooks H., Brooks K., Butt, Byrd, Calfee, Camper, Carr, Carter, Casada, Clemmons, Coley, Daniel, DeBerry, Doss, Dunlap, Dunn, Durham, Eldridge, Faison, Farmer, Favors, Fitzhugh, Forgety, Gilmore, Goins, Gravitt, Halford, Hardaway, Harrison, Hawk, Haynes, Hazlewood, Hill M., Hill T., Holsclaw, Holt, Howell, Hulsey, Jernigan, Johnson, Jones, Kane, Keisling, Kumar, Lamberth, Littleton, Lollar, Love, Lundberg, Lynn, Marsh, Matheny, Matlock, McCormick, McDaniel, McManus, Miller, Mitchell, Moody, Parkinson, Pitts, Pody, Powell, Ragan, Ramsey, Reedy, Rogers, Sanderson, Sargent, Sexton C., Sexton J., Shaw, Shepard, Smith, Sparks, Spivey, Stewart, Swann, Terry, Todd, Towns, Travis, Turner, Van Huss, Weaver, White D., White M., Wilburn, Williams, Windle, Wirgau, Womick, Madam Speaker Harwell -- 97

RECESS

On motion of Rep. McCormick, the House stood in recess until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, April 2, 2015.